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SUBJECT: REPORT OF PRIVATE MEETING SEMENOV-JOHNSON MARCH 12

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1. IN PRIVATE MEETING HELD AT HIS REQUEST THIS AFTERNOON, SEMENOV COMPLETELY ACCEPTED ALL OF THE PROPOSALS THAT I HAD MADE IN OUR MARCH 5 MEETING (SEE REFTEL). HE SAID THAT SOVIET

MEMBERS OF DRAFTING

GROUP (KLOSSON AND EARLE ON OUR SIDE) WOULD

BE KARPOV AND SMOLIN. IN SPEAKING OF AD HOC WORKING GROUPS ON

SUBSTANTIVE MATTERS, HE USED TERM "DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN MEMBER DELEGA-

TIONS." ON SYSTEMS TO BE INCLUDED AND DEFINITIONS GROUP,

(ROWNY ON OUR SIDE), HE SAID THAT TRUSOV WOULD BE SOVIET MEMBER.

ON VERIFICATION GROUP (MAY ON OUR SIDE), HE SAID THAT SHCHUKIN

AND BELETSKY WOULD BE THE SOVIET MEMBERS. I SAID THAT WHEN

HE WAS HERE HAROLD BROWN WOULD ALSO PARTICIPATE ON OUR

SIDE. WE BOTH AGREED THAT GROUPS WHOULD MEET AS INFORMALLY

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AS POSSIBLE, ACCOMPANIED BY WHATEVER ASSISTANTS OR EXPERTS

THEY DESIRED. WE ALSO AGREED THAT THEIR WORK WOULD BE ENTIRELY AD REFERENDUM TO OURSELVES. WE ALSO AGREED THAT, AS OCCASION AROSE, CONSIDERATION COULD BE GIVEN TO MEETINGS BETWEEN CHIEFS OF DELEGATION ACCOMPANIED BY ONE OR TWO EXPERTS ON PARTICULAR SUBJECT UNDER DISCUSSION. SEMENOV ALSO SUGGESTED, AND I AGREED, THAT WE MIGHT ON OCCASION CONSIDER MINI-PLENARIES. IN VIEW OF THIS INTENSIFIED WORK SCHEDULE, WE WILL RESUME SCHEDULE OF TWO PLENARY MEETINGS A WEEK.

2. I ASSUME THAT ALL THIS MEANS HE HAS RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS FROM MOSCOW. IT REMAINS TO BE SEEN WHETHER THEY COVER RESPONSE TO OUR DRAFT. JOHNSON

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